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FOR DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY SOBER FROM CHARGE MIKLOS

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP

SUBJECT: TEHRAN INTERNATIONAL TRADE FAIR--MILITARY AIRLIFT FOR  
EXHIBIT MATERIALS

REF: TEHRAN 4250

1. REFTEL REQUESTED STATE ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING DOD AIRLIFT FOR INFLATABLE AIR STRUCTURE FROM DOVER (GROSS WEIGHT 20,000 POUNDS, CUBIC DIMENSIONS 40 FEET X 8 X 8) AND USIS EXHIBIT FROM ZAIRE (3,800 POUNDS, 672 CUBIC FEET). REFTEL WRITTEN UNDER ASSUMPTION THAT COST TRANSPORT BOTH ITEMS WOULD NOT EXCEED \$10,000; HOWEVER, RECENT INQUIRY TO DOD RESULTED IN ESTIMATE ABOUT \$30,000 FOR TWO ITEMS.

2. POST FAIR BUDGET CANNOT POSSIBLY ABSORB \$30,000 FREIGHT CHARGES AND WE WILL BE OBLIGED TO DRASTICALLY CURTAIL PLANS, POSSIBLY ELIMINATING USIS EXHIBIT, IF REDUCTION MAC CHARGES NOT OBTAINED. SUCH CURTAILMENT UNADVISABLE SINCE FAIR IS PRIMARILY AN IMAGE EXHIBIT AND MAJOR EFFORT BY USG IS IN NATIONAL INTEREST. ALSO, EUROPEAN GOVERNMENTS ARE HEAVILY SUBSIDIZING 1975 TRADE FAIR PARTICIPATION (GERMAN GOVERNMENT WILL CONTRIBUTE \$100,000 TOWARD PARTICIPATION AND BRITISH GOVERNMENT ABOUT \$150,000).

3. WOULD THEREFORE APPRECIATE YOUR APPROACHING ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE FOR PUBLIC AFFAIRS TO ATTEMPT OBTAIN AND EXCEPTION FOR FEES CHARGED UNDER CHAPTER 14 OF DOD DIRECTIVE  
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4515.13-R DATED 6 FEBRUARY 1975. IF POSSIBLE, WE WOULD REQUEST

TRANSPORT ON NON-REIMBURSABLE BASIS; OTHERWISE, \$10,000 IS  
MAXIMUM BUDGET WILL PERMIT.

4. I GREATLY APPRECIATE YOUR COORDINATING MATTER AND HOPE  
ANSWER WILL BE FORTHCOMING BY END MAY.  
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